

MINUTES

HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

Date | time Thursday May 4, 2023 | Meeting called to order by Ritu Goel at 7:02 PM

Roll Call

Members Present: Ritu Goel, Anitha Elango, Carolyn Carey, Christy Shaher, Erica Evans, Dan Edwards Linda Jeski, Mitchell Marks.

Approval of Minutes

Motion for approval of minutes from March, 2023 made by Christy, seconded by Mitchell – approved by all. Motion for approval of April 2023 minutes made by Carolyn, seconded by Dan, approved by all.

Agenda

- Public Input: None
- Chairs report: Ritu Goel started a discussion on adding alternates to the commission who could step in
 if there was a lack of quorum or who could help at events. Councilor Evans explained that any changes
 will need the ordinance to be opened for review and discussion, following which commissioners could
 suggest changes and vote on the said changes to approve them. This will be added as an agenda item to
 a regular HRC meeting.
- Liaison report: Erica Evans reported on how the recording of boards and commissions had improved. A
 discussion followed on HRC recording equipment and having to pick it up during office hours. The
 current meeting recording however had gone smoothly.
- Future events: A discussion on attending the Pie for Peace event which was scheduled for Sunday May 7th: A discussion on modifying the Race Amity Day event to a celebration of June calendar events.
- It would be themed as "come together South Windsor". Special days that will be celebrated include National Flag Day, Juneteenth, Armed Forces Day, race Amity Day. The event will include ice cream and Pizza and the location will be the Veterans Pavilion.
- Carolyn made a motion to allocate the balance in our budget towards this event, Dan seconded, all attendees were in favor.
- Christy will make the flier.

Motion to Adjourn

• Motion to adjourn at 7:59 PM made by Linda, Carolyn seconded, all in favor, meeting adjourned.